

Centers for *Independent Living*

A stylized illustration of a hand holding a torch, with a torn paper effect at the bottom. The hand is rendered in a light blue color, and the torch is a darker blue. The background is a light blue gradient. The bottom of the image features a torn paper effect with a dark blue background.

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**Dedicated to the
Empowerment of
Persons with Disabilities and
Equal Access in Society**

What is Independent Living?

The right of people with disabilities to control and direct their own lives, to have choices and options and to actively participate in all aspects of society.

What are Centers for Independent Living?

- ☐ Not-for-Profit Organizations
- ☐ Advocacy and Training
- ☐ Consumer Controlled Organizations
- ☐ System Advocates
- ☐ Community Based Organizations
- ☐ Educators
- ☐ Non-Residential Organizations
- ☐ Agents for Social Change

To locate the Center nearest you call the DHS Independent Living

217/782-9689 (Voice/TTY) • 524-7549 (FAX)
312/814-4037 (Voice/TTY) • 814-4351 (FAX)

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Centers for Independent Living are also:

- ☐ Managed and controlled by persons with disabilities.
- ☐ Employers of persons with disabilities
- ☐ The local point in communities for families to learn of options for their children with disabilities.
- ☐ Advocates for full integration of persons with disabilities in society.
- ☐ Community resources for technical assistance and education.

Who do Centers for Independent Living Serve?

- ☐ Persons with varying disabilities
- ☐ Their Families
- ☐ Their Communities

Centers for Independent Living Unit at

Springfield, or
Chicago.

Regional Access & Mobilization Project (RAMP)
202 Market Street, Rockford, Illinois 61107
Phone: 815/968-7467 (Voice), 815/968-2401 (TTY)
Serving Boone, Dekalb, Stephenson and Winnebago counties.

Fox River Valley Center for Independent Living (FRVCIL)
730B. West Chicago Street, Elgin, Illinois 60123
Phone: 847/695-5818 (Voice/TTY)
Serving Kane, Kendall and McHenry counties.

Illinois-Iowa Independent Living Center (IIILC)
3708 11th Street, P. O. Box 6156, Rock Island, Illinois 61201-6156
Phone: 309/793-0090 (Voice/TTY)
Serving Henry, Mercer and Rock Island, counties in Illinois, and Clinton, Muscatine and Scott counties in Iowa.

Northwestern Illinois Center for Independent Living (NICIL)
229 1st Avenue, Suite 2, Rock Falls, Illinois 61071-1239
Phone: 815/625-7860 (Voice), 815/625-7863 (TTY)
Serving Carroll, Lee, Ogle, JoDaviess and Whiteside counties.

Stone - Hayes Center for Independent Living
39 N. Prairie Street, Galesburg, Illinois 61401
Phone: 309/344-1306 (Voice), 309/344-1269 (TTY)
Serving Knox and Warren Counties.

Illinois Valley Center for Independent Living
12 Gunia Drive, LaSalle Illinois 61301-9712
Phone: 815/224-3126 (Voice/TTY)
Serving LaSalle, Bureau, Putnam, Marshall and Stark counties.

West Central Illinois Center for Independent Living (formerly Independence Network Center)
Park Hotel Complex, 131 N. 4th Street, Suite 1, P.O. Box 1065 Quincy, Illinois 62306-1065
Phone: 217/223-0400 (Voice), 217/223-0475 (TTY)
Serving Adams, Brown, Hancock, McDonough, Pike and Schuyler counties.

Jacksonville Area Center for Independent Living (JACIL)
60 East Central Park Plaza, Jacksonville, Illinois 62650
Phone: 217/245-8371 (Voice/TTY)
Serving Mason, Scott, Cass and Morgan counties.

Springfield Center for Independent Living (SCIL)
426 West Jefferson Street, Springfield, Illinois 62702
Phone: 217/523-2587 (Voice/TTY)
Serving Christian, Logan, Menard, Montgomery and Sangamon counties.

IMPACT Center for Independent Living
2735 East Broadway, Alton, Illinois 62002
Phone: 618/462-1411 (Voice), 618/474-5308 (TTY)
Serving Calhoun, Jersey, Macoupin, Madison, Bond and Greene counties.

Living Independently Now Center for Independent Living (LINC)
120 East A Street, Belleville, Illinois 62220-1401
Phone: 618/235-9988 (Voice), 618/235-0451 (TTY)
Serving St. Clair, Monroe and Randolph counties.

Opportunities for Access Center for Independent Living (OFACIL)
3300 Broadway - Suite #5, Mt. Vernon, Illinois 62864
Phone: 618/244-9212 (Voice), 618/244-9575 (TTY)
Serving Clinton, Jefferson, Marion, Washington and Wayne counties.

Lake County Center for Independent Living
377 N. Seymore Avenue, Mundelein, Illinois 60060
Phone: 847/949-4440 (Voice/TTY)
Serving Lake county

Access Living of Metropolitan Chicago (AL)
614 W. Roosevelt Road, Chicago, Illinois 60607
Phone: 312/253-7000 (Voice), 312/253-7002 (TTY)
Serving city of Chicago.

Progress Center for Independent Living (PCIL)
7521 Madison Street, Forest Park, Illinois 60130
Phone: 708/209-1500 (Voice), 708/209-1826 & 1827 (TTY)
Serving suburban Cook county.

DuPage Center for Independent Living
739 Roosevelt Road, Bldg 8, Suite 109, Glen Ellyn, IL 60137
Phone: 630/469-2300 (Voice/TTY)
Serving DuPage county.

Will-Grundy Center for Independent Living (WGCIL)
2415 A West Jefferson Street, Joliet, Illinois 60435
Phone: 815/729-0162 (Voice), 815/729-2085 (TTY)
Serving Will and Grundy counties.

Options Center for Independent Living
22 Heritage Drive, Suite 107, Bourbonnais, Illinois 60914
Phone: 815/936-0100 (Voice), 815/936-0132 (TTY)
Serving Kankakee and Iroquois counties.

Persons Assuming Control of Their Environment (PACE)
1317 E. Florida Avenue #27, Urbana, Illinois 61801
Phone: 217/344-5433 (Voice), 217/344-5024 (TTY)
Serving Champaign, Douglas, Edgar, Piatt and Vermilion counties.

Living Independence for Everyone (LIFE)
2201 Eastland Dr., Suite 1, Bloomington, Illinois 61704
Phone: 309/663-5433 (Voice), 309/663-0054 (TTY)
Toll-free 1-888-LIFE-CIL
Serving DeWitt, Ford, Livingston and McLean counties.

Soyland Access to Independent Living (SAIL)
2545 Millikin Parkway, Suite 1305, Decatur, Illinois 62526
Phone: 217/876-8888 (Voice/TTY)
Serving Macon, Moultrie and Shelby counties.

Central Illinois Center for Independent Living (CICIL)
614 W. Glen, Peoria, Illinois 61614
Phone: 309/682-3500 (Voice), 309/682-3567 (TTY)
Serving Fulton, Peoria, Tazewell and Woodford counties.

Gaining Access to Independent Living (GAIL)
112 W. Washington, Box 486, Effingham, Illinois 62401
Phone: 217/342-7110 (Voice), 217/347-2563 (TTY)
Serving Clay, Effingham, Fayette and Jasper counties.

Southern Illinois Center for Independent Living (SICIL)
100 N. Glenview, P.O. Box 627, Carbondale, Illinois 62903
Phone: 618/457-3318 (Voice/TTY)
Serving Franklin, Jackson, Perry and Williamson counties.

For More Information

Name: _____

Street Address: _____

City/State/Zip Code: _____

Telephone: () _____

_____ I am interested in Independent Living services. Please have someone contact me.

_____ I am interested in working as a volunteer.

_____ I would like more information about Independent Living services and CILs.

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